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SUBJ: NARCOTICS: EA REGIONAL CONFERENCE FOR NARCOTICS COORDINATORS

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1. EMBASSY AGREES ON DESIRABILITY FOR EA NARCOTICS
COORDINATORS MEETING. MANILA FAVORED, BUT SINGAPORE
ALSO CONVENIENT.

2. CONCERNING AGENDA, WE HAVE FOL PROPOSALS:
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A. DRUGS AS COLOMBO PLAN ITEM. COLOMBO PLAN MEETING

IN WELLINGTON WILL BE OVER AND REVIEW OF RESULTS OF
DRUG AGENDA ITEM AND EFFECTIVENESS OF US-FUNDED DRUG
ABUSE ADVISOR AS WELL AS PROS AND CONS OF
CONTINUED USE OF COLOMBO PLAN ORGANIZATION FOR DRUG
CONTROL ACTIVITIES WOULD BE TIMELY.

TRAINING ASSISTANCE POLICY REVIEW. DISCUSSION OF
PRIORITIES AND TYPES OF ASSISTANCE NEEDED AND AVAILABLE.

C. DISCUSSION OF TYPES OF LIAISON COUNTRY NARCOTICS
COORDINATORS SHOULD BE INVOLVED IN. DISCUSSION OF
MATERIALS AND PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR FREE OR
PAID DISTRIBUTION.

D. RESULTS OF SIX-MONTHS PAUSE IN PRODUCTION OF NEW
DRUG ABUSE EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS AND EVALUATION OF
EXISTING MATERIALS.

E. EVIDENCE OF NEW TRAFFICKING ROUTES AND METHODS.

F. DISCUSSION OF GROWING PROBLEM OF LIQUID
HASHISH AND LATEST INFORMATION ON ITS DANGERS.

G. ROLE WHICH COUNTRIES LIKE NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA
CAN PLAY IN THE REGION.

H. LATEST INFORMATION ON PHYSICAL AND OTHER EFFECTS
OF MARIJUANA USE.

I. REPORT ON ADDICTION IN THE UNITED STATES. IS IT
FALLING. WHAT ARE THE EFFECTS OF HIGHER PRICES AND
LOWER MORPHINE CONTENT ON HEROIN USE AND ADDICTION.
ARE THERE ANY PROMISING NEW TREATMENT METHODS ON THE
HORIZON.

J. HEROIN USE IN ASIA. HOW MUCH OF A PROBLEM.
EFFECT ON ASIAN LEADERS AND SOCIETIES. ARE THESE NEW
USERS OR SWITCH-OVERS FROM SMOKING OPIUM.

K. UN ACTIVITIES IN THE AREA. WHY NO REGIONAL
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DIRECTOR YET IN SEA. STATUS OF THAI PROGRAM.

1. BURMA. RAMIFICATIONS OF GUB RPT GUB APPARENT DECISION TO
START CRACKING DOWN ON TRAFFICKING AND REFINING.

M. DEA REORGANIZATION. DO PROBLEMS AND RIVALRIES
STILL EXIST. FUNCTIONS OF REGIONAL DEA OFFICES.
WHAT DO THEY OFFER.

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